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The Lowest Prices,

and I warrant them equal to any imported. Call and see them.

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July 4 eTuly

District Court of the United States, District of Maine.

In the matter of RICHARD H. SEAVEY, Bankrupt.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

This is to give notice that a Petition has been presented to the Court, this 28th day of December, by Richard H. Seavey, of Frankfort, a Bankrupt, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts provable under the Bankrupt Act, and upon reading said petition it is now ordered, that the 15th day of December, A. D. 1876, is the day appointed for the hearing thereof.

It is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the first Monday of April, A. D. 1877, before the Court in Portland, in said District, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and that the third meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt be held before Charles Hamlin, Esq., Referee, in Bangor, on the twenty-first day of December, 1876, and that notice thereof be published in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, and the Republican Journal, two newspapers printed in said District, once in each week for three successive weeks, and once in the Weekly Bangor Courier, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the day of hearing, that all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons in interest, may appear at the time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WM. P. FESSENDEN,

Clerk of District Court for said District.

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Notice to Creditors in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States, for the District of Maine. In the matter of Benj. K. Stockwell, George S. Chalmers, Francis Garland and John E. Stockwell, individually as co-partners and members of the firms of D. K. Stockwell & Co., F. Garland & Co., and John E. Stockwell & Co., of Bangor in said District, Bankrupts in Bankruptcy.

District of Maine, ss. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts will be held before Charles Hamlin, Esq., Referee in Bankruptcy, in the Bankrupt Court Room, in Bangor, on the twenty-second day of December, A. D. 1876, at ten o'clock A. M., for the purpose of beginning the consideration of the compositions proposed by said bankrupts, on their individual and co-partnership creditors respectively, in satisfaction of the debts owing by said bankrupts to each of their said creditors, which have been passed in the manner directed by Sec. 2, of the Bankruptcy Amendment Act, approved June 22, 1874, and the Revised Statutes of the United States, title LXI, Bankruptcy, and have been confirmed by the signatures required by said Act. And also, whether it is for the best interest of the creditors concerned, that the said bankrupts should accept the compositions proposed; and to show cause why the said bankrupts should not be decreed to have a full discharge from all their debts provable under the said Bankrupt Act, and upon reading said petitions the assets and debts of said bankrupts are to be ascertained and as co-partners, and individuals.

Clerk of the U. S. District Court for the District of Maine.

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Sept. 23

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Be sure and call for

"Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup,"

Having the fac-simile of "CURTIS & PERKINS" on the outside wrapper.

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Ladies', Misses' and Children's Fur Caps in great variety.

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W. H. FRENCHARD.

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C. L. DAKIN'S,

dec10 *78 MAIN STREET.*

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THE BANGOR BAZAAR,

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LAP BOARDS, Arks, new style Banks, Vases, Bouquet Holders, China Toys, Drums, Trumpets, Blocks of every description, Books, Games, &c. &c.

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H. W. DURGIN,

No. 1, Union Block, Main Street.

Bangor, Dec 11, 1876. 1jan1

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FOR THE

HOLIDAYS

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All make piece and cent prices for the Holidays.

SAMUEL B. STONE & CO.,

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FOR

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AND THE

HOLIDAYS!

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has made extensive preparations for the manufacture, *fresh every day* of

PURE CANDIES,

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Call at his Repository, No. 7 KENDUSKEAG BRIDGE *and bring the Children along with you.*

H. L. LANE.

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Chlorate Potash Lozenges,

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Blood Root Candy,

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Commission Merchant,

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PICKERING SQUARE

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Auction Sale by Assignee.

Pursuant to the authority of the U. S. District Court, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the Lincoln House in Litchfield, Maine, at ten o'clock A. M. on SATURDAY, Dec. 30th, 1876, one horse, one Sleigh, one silver watch, chain and locket, one pair shirt studs, one pair double runners, one old wagon body, one springs and one fourth undivided part of a rock lifter, belonging to the estate of Warren A. Cummings of Plymouth, Bankrupt. JOSEPH B. PEARS, Assignee.

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SILVER & PLATED WARE,

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New Sugar Cured Hams and Breakfast Bacon of the first quality.

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Bangor Nov 28, 1876.

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Bangor, Nov 25, 1876. dtaw

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J. S. RICKER & CO.

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DAIRYING

The *Rural New Yorker* says the best way to secure good cows is to raise them on the farm. The difficulty in obtaining superior milch cows to supply the many and large herds in the dairy district becomes greater from year to year and this difficulty renders stock raising desirable at least with those who are trying to excel in quantity of dairy products. Why, then, should not the raising of dairy stock on dairy farms be the rule rather than the exception? The main reason is because it is supposed to cost more to raise a cow than it does to purchase one in the market, but granting this to be true when we come to strike the difference between the good cows raised by judicious breeding and the poor ones bought from droves it will be found far more profitable for dairymen to raise and educate the animals on the farm, under their own immediate supervision than to depend on purchasing.

Grade cattle from good milking families of Short Horns are on account of size regarded with favor by many. When fitting milk they take on flesh rapidly and can be turned to good account for beef. Across of Short Horn grades with Ayrshires is also held in high esteem by some as productive of all the milking qualities of the Ayrshire with an improvement in size from the Short Horn. The principle of like producing like will generally hold good in breeding for dairy. Hence great attention should be had to breed from good milking families and the parents on both sides should be from stock noted in this respect.

As the production of milk in large quantities is more or less exhausting sound constitution and health are points to be considered. An old and feeble cow will not be likely to breed a vigorous stock as younger animals in high health. Mr. Emily Dunn, in a prize essay on the Hereditary Diseases of Cattle, published in the Journal of the Royal Agricultural Society of England enumerates diarrhea, rheumatism, scrofula, consumption, dysentery, malignant tumors and affections depending on a plethoric state of the body as the most important hereditary diseases of cattle. Among others he gives the following characteristics which cattle should possess in order to perpetuate in their offspring a healthy and vigorous constitution, viz.:

The head small, muzzle fine and tapering, nostrils large and open, the eyes full and lustrous, the ears small and not too thick, the head well set on the neck, the distance between the ears and the angle of the jaw short but the width behind the ears considerable (no dairy cow should have a short thick neck), the chest wide and deep, the girth taken immediately behind the shoulder should correspond with the length from behind the ears to the root of the tail, the carcass of a barrel shape for a thin flat ribbed animal eats hardly, thrives badly and is usually liable to disease, there should be but little space between the prominence of the hip and the last rib, the quarter large, the measurement from the prominence of the haunch back and down the rear of the tail as near to the hock as possible, the lower part of the haunch thick and broad, the hide thick and pliant, smallness of bone is a sure indication of early maturity and aptitude for fattening.

The foregoing other characteristics and qualities enumerated by Mr. Dunn indicate the possession of vigorous and healthy constitution and freedom from all inherent disease. In raising stock for the dairy it must be remembered that the calf should have generous feed and good care and treatment in every respect for a scrubby dwarfed and pinched calf cannot be expected to mature into the best cow. Care must be taken also that it be not overfed so as to become dainty, but kept in a healthy, growing condition.

Extra feed should be given when grass is scant and of poor quality. Roots, meal and the best of early cut hay, fed regularly during winter with well lighted and well ventilated stables—all will amply repay the breeder, in the better size, condition and prospective value of the animal for the dairy.

The education of the animal for the dairy is also of prime importance. Docility, good temper, quietness all of which are necessary in a good milch cow, are the result, in a great measure of kind treatment and early education. Many a fine animal has been irreparably ruined by coarse and brutal treatment for no cow that trembles from fright or exhibits great nervousness during milking will yield her greatest capacity of milk.

Calves from the first, should be fondled and made familiar with persons, never frightened or worried by dogs beaten or cruelly treated, they should have no fear of their attendants, but rather express pleasure in their presence and a willingness to be petted and handled, and when the heifer "comes in milk" the utmost kindness and tenderness should be shown in her management until the animal is thoroughly broken and shows no more nervousness at being milked than in the suckling of her own calf. Heifers that have been well kept will begin to come in milk at two years of age, and are regarded as making better cows than when coming in milk at a later date, since the capacity for giving milk is varied by habit, and an early development in this regard stimulates secretion of milk and as found by experience, is productive of better results.

We have enumerated some of the leading points to be observed in raising stock for the dairy and we urge the question upon the attention of dairymen at this time because they have now leisure to think the matter over and lay out plans for the future. Superior cows are not unfrequently raised by selecting calves from deep-milking natives which cannot boast of "royal blood" in their veins, and we should not hesitate to raise stock from such animals in case no provision has been made to cross with thoroughbreds. We should be glad to see more interest taken by dairymen in breeding stock for the dairy. We ought to get better returns, both of cheese and butter, than we do, and this object can never be successfully accomplished unless dairymen go back to the beginning and breed their own stock. We need cows that will turn off 600 pounds of cheese annually or from 250 to 300 pounds of butter. This product cannot be obtained from the culls picked out of droves. If we are to reap a good profit from dairying and make it a grand success, it must come from having deep milkers, and the surest way to secure these is by judicious breeding upon the farm where they are to be used.

DRYING OFF THE COWS.

The season has now come when the herds are to be dried of their milk, and it is one of the most important operations connected with the successful management of the dairy. Thousands of dollars are sustained annually from an improper manner of drying off cows. If milk is allowed to remain in the udder even in very small quantities, it becomes thick and coagulated and acts as a foreign substance, producing irritation and is liable to affect injuriously or destroy some of the parts of the bag and teats. The whole structure of the udder is a complicated and delicate affair. The arteries going to the udder are both large and numerous, and the branches of each vessel freely anastomose together, so that no interruption to the regularity of the supply of blood to every part of the gland may take place. The several vessels which come off from these arteries penetrate into the substance of the mammæ within which they freely ramify by numerous divisions and sub-divisions. Ultimately by further splitting up and consequent diminution of their caliber, they form vessels so minute as to be unobservable to the naked eye and which have been designated capillaries. They are distributed to the follicles or cœcal extremities of the lactiferous ducts, upon which they form a minute *rete* of vessels and furnish blood, both in a sufficient quantity and also in a condition fitted for the secretion of milk. From the cœcal extremities the milk as it is formed finds its way along the minute excretory ducts to which they are attached into larger tubes, and thence into various-sized cavities, which are termed reservoirs. The arrangement of this portion of the gland may be compared to bunches of currants as connected with or growing upon their foot stalks. The fruit would there represent the milk secreting follicles and the stalks the tubes by which it is conveyed away.

It will be seen from the above that a structure so complicated and delicate is liable to become deranged in some of its parts by improper usage and that it can not well maintain its integrity when milk is allowed to accumulate and remain to decompose and become rotten as it often does when there has been neglect in properly "drying off" the animal. When cows begin to fall in their milk the supply of blood to the glands becomes less and when milk is left in the udder a portion of it will be absorbed in the system. Nature taking this way to rid the glands of a substance which requires to be removed. But when the milk coagulates the caseinous portions become hard and remain. Thus when the cow again comes in milk we find the foreign substance acting as an irritant inducing not unfrequently violent inflammation and we have swelled bag, garget, or some disease of the udder which causes trouble. Often particles of coagulated milk fill up the milk duct at the base of the teat or lower down causing a stoppage of milk through the duct and hence spoiling the teat for further use. Of late years a large number of cows throughout the dairy districts are found which have lost the use of one or more teats and they are generally among the best cows of the herd. The cause is largely owing to not being properly dried off.

Cows cannot be dried of their milk at once and some cows continue to secrete milk in small quantities for a long time. But in all cases where the animal has ceased to give milk or is what is termed dry she should have her udder examined from time to time and the teats tried to see if any milk can be drawn. At first the trial should be made at intervals of two or three days and if there is a particle of milk in the udder it should be all thoroughly drawn. Then the trial may be made at longer intervals. When cows are supposed to be completely dry the rule should be to go through the herd every week milking the teats of the teats to see if any milk can be drawn. And this work cannot safely be intrusted to hired help but must be performed under the eye of the master. Many persons are not aware of the importance of drying cows and hired help often think it a piece of folly to try to draw milk from a dry cow. We have had such men and they were good honest men too and they would insist that certain cows were perfectly dry but yet when put to the test under our rule of trying the teats once a week during winter we have found in numerous instance that small quantities of thick milk or watery fluid could be drawn from the udder.

We have lost the use of valuable cows by intrusting this work to persons in our employ and there is scarcely a dairyman in New York who cannot trace trouble in his herd to either his own neglect or that of others. Indeed so large is the loss every year from improperly drying cows that there is scarcely a subject connected with dairy management of more vital importance than this. We urge it therefore upon the attention of dairymen and we try to do them. Be sure that the work is done properly—trust no eye but your own and when your herd comes in milk next spring you will realize the value of our advice.

RAT POISON. A paste of plaster Paris thoroughly mixed with a quart of oatmeal will prove fatal to either rats or mice.

Carbonate of Barytes two pound, common lard one pound, mixed together and left where the rat can find it. It is tasteless, odorless and unpalpable but produces extreme thirst causing death immediately after drinking.

Whatever poison is employed water should always be placed conveniently at hand and inside of the room or box where the poisoned food is set in order that the rats may quench their thirst and die on the spot.

BANGOR MARKET

SATURDAY, Dec. 30.

FLOUR. The markets through the week have been quite generally firm and with wheat at the present prices and winter rates of transportation a still lower range seems likely to hold the market firm and the present steady or anything like an extreme rise would advance prices still further.

CORN is firm to day at 60 to 63 cents per bushel, the former prices measure and latter weight—56 pounds.

MEAL. Corn meal is selling at 60 to 63 cents per bushel—56 pounds.

OATS are selling from the stores at 50 to 52 cents per bushel—30 pounds.

FIXED FEED. Fine middlings are worth from $1.50 to $1.60 cents, coarse do from $1.35 to $1.45 and bran from $1.30 to $1.35 per hundred pounds.

SALT. Coarse salt is sold at a range of prices from 35 to 45 cents per bushel, and Bangor butter salt (56 pound boxes) $1.1 per hundred.

PLASTER is worth $1.25 per bbl.

LIME is worth from 85 to 90 cents per cask.

CEMENT is selling at $1.15 per bbl.

BRICK. At this season of the year the demand is generally limited and stocks lay over for the opening of the river and builders orders so that at present prices are nominal.

PORK. The best qualities of clear and No. 1 pork are worth from $20 to $22 and $23 per bbl.

LARD is worth from 12 to 13 and 10 cents per pound according to the quality and size of packages—wood or tin.

FISH. Dry Codfish are worth from $4.50 to $5.50 and $6.00 according to size and quality and kind of fish from $3.50 to $3.75 per hundred pounds.

SUGAR. Granulated is worth from 9½ to 10 and extra C do from 11½ to 11¾ cents per lb.

KEROSENE is worth from 35 to 36 cents per gallon per bbl—barrels extra.

SOAPS. Stoddard & Hellier's Bangor manufacture, American standard 4½ cents per pound, Champion Laundry 4½ pound bars 3½ cents, soft do $4 per box. American Peerless soap sells at $5.50 per box, 60 pound bars. Dabbs best family soap $6.80 100 8-pound bars. Queen do $5.50 60 pound bars, Gold do, $6.25 100 8 pound bars. French Laundry, $5.50, and the Gold Dust, $6.25.

CHEESE are selling from the stores at a range of price from 12 to 13, and 15 cents per pound—the latter price for the best quality of Western factories.

DRIED APPLES are worth from the stores from 8 to 11 cents per pound per bbl—barrels extra.

Produce Market.

State Law Regarding Weights and Measures.

A bushel of salt shall contain eight bushels. The standard weight of a bushel of beans shall be 64 pounds, of potatoes, wheat, beets and peas 60 pounds, of corn, 56 pounds, of onions, 57 pounds, of carrots, turnips, rye, and Indian meal 50 pounds, of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds, of oats 30 pounds, or even measure as by agreement.

The past week is another that can be added to winter, on account of the steady solid cold and ample quantity of snow for good travelling with weather a little milder, but with the present dry atmosphere the roads remain dry and hard and marketing is done more from necessity than for pleasure.

APPLES are brought in very sparingly and fair to good are selling in the streets at 50 cents to $1 per bushel.

BARLEY sells from 55 to 65 cents, according to quality.

BEANS. The Western markets are quoting beans at a little stack, but the small quantity now coming in gives yellow eyes a current price in the streets, of $2.60 and $2.15, and pea beans are selling according to size and quality from $2.00 to $2.25 and $2.50 per bushel.

BUTTER. Last week's quotations would also answer for the present week, for the demand and supply seems to run about parallel. Fair to good sells from 20 to 22, and 25 cents, and what the dealers would call a very extra article, would sell at 28 cents per pound. Solid butter might be quoted at 18 to 19 and 20 cents per pound for small lots, but large quantities would only sell at nominal prices.

CIDER. New cider sells on the market from 15 to 20 cents per gallon.

CRANBERRIES are worth from $8 to $9 and $10 per barrel, according to quality, and the barrels contain by measure out from 3 to 3½ bushels.

DRIED APPLES are worth in the streets from from 6 to 9 and the very best quality at quartered, 10 cents per pound.

EGGS are selling in the streets to day at 25 to 28 cents per dozen.

FRESH FISH. Fresh codfish are selling from the market at 6 to 7 cents and Halibut at 10 to 15 cents per pound. Fresh pickerel at 10 to 12 cents and mackerel at 12 to 16 cents and Lobsters at 8 cents per pound.

FRESH MEATS. Round hogs are selling from 7 to 7½ cents and Fresh Beef is worth by the side from 5 to 6, and 9 cents per pound. Lambs are selling from 6 to 8 cents and Mutions from 5 to 7 cents per pound.

HAY. Loose hay is selling at a range of prices from $

Whig and Courier.

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C. A. BOUTELLE, Editor.

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MONDAY, JAN. 1, 1877

ANOTHER NEW YEAR.

Steadily—and how swiftly—Time moves on! The booming of the Centennial guns has hardly ceased to echo throughout the land, and yet the fingers on the dial has swept past the historic '76 and to-day bids us welcome the New Year, 1877.

We greet it cordially and express the fervent hope that it may prove indeed a Happy New Year to our readers one and all, to our beloved Country and to the whole brotherhood of Mankind.

The year just closed has been so memorable in many ways that there is little need to recapitulate its significant events. In one aspect it has celebrated the glorious triumph of our Republic in its century of progress and development, and in another it has brought us to face unexpected trial and to grapple with difficulties unforeseen by the founders of our institutions.

The triumphs of the past afford the best promise of our ability to meet the demands of the present and the future, and with experience as our guide we shall find the path of safety and prosperity by pressing forward where streams the light of those great principles of patriotism and justice which have made the glory and the happiness of our Nation. The immortal Declaration of Independence, hallowed by the memories and lessons of an hundred years and reaffirmed with more than original significance at our Centennial Anniversary, must still be the inspiration of our individual and united purpose Liberty, Justice and Humanity, a fair field for the strong, protection for the weak; with a loyal maintenance of every pledge of the Nation's honor, these must be our watchwords in the future as in the past. With these principles as the guide of the majority of our people we can face the future with confidence that 1877 will prove to us in every truth a Happy New Year, and that the new Century will round a golden circle of prosperity and grandeur for the Great Republic.

MAKE THE PARALLEL COMPLETE.

The editor of the Portland *Argus* has been elected a member of the Maine Legislature and possibly on that account feels an unusual interest in Legislatures generally, but we do not see that it justifies him in misrepresenting the situation in Louisiana by garbling despatches in a manner that would be characterized as forgery if attempted with a business document. Here is a paragraph from the *Argus*

A PICTURE. Would this be a pleasant contemplation for Maine people? Governor Connor has taken all necessary precautions to prevent the Democrats from entering the State House next Wednesday. He has had barricades prepared for all the windows and doors except the two principal entrances, and a guard of Augusta police is to be placed there. Prominent Democrats called on Governor Connor and protested against barricading the State House and demanded the removal of the barricades which the Governor declined to do. When asked if the Democrats and citizens generally would be admitted, he replied that he would not answer, but if guards were placed at the door they would have a list of the *Republican* members declared elected, and they would be admitted. The Governor claimed he had the right to control all the approaches to the House of Representatives.

And yet *there is just what is occurring* in Louisiana!

The above purports to give the text of a Louisiana despatch with a simple change of names and localities, and the wording is improved closely enough to deceive the unwary, but aside from the absurdity of the comparison the *Argus* has taken no occasion to interpolate a deliberate lie into the language attributed to Gov Kellogg. The word Republican, which we have italicised above is an intentional forgery by the editor of the *Argus*, inserted for the obvious and sole purpose of falsifying the position of the Governor of Louisiana. The despatch which the *Argus* pretended to use, reported the Governor as saying that guards were placed at the door, they would have a list *of the members declared elected by the Returning Board*, who would be admitted." This did not suit the *Argus* man so he garbled the report and in the habitually dishonest method of that paper inserted the word "Republican" without warrant, thus making it appear that duly elected Democrats were to be excluded! The fact that the editor carefully dodged the use of quotation marks and employed the language in suppositious application to this State, will not avail as an excuse, for the despatch was copied verbatim, except where he wished to falsify its meaning and the paragraph at the close declares that preceding statement of the facts as to Louisiana. We remark that it is simply a lie and a very stupid and clumsy one at that.

Furthermore, when our prospective legislator presents a parallel for the consideration of the people of Maine, he should state the entire case, and not one side of it. When people are informed that a Governor has found it necessary to guard the approaches to a State House, they will naturally inquire whether there was any cause for such action. If the editor of the *Argus* had desired to give the public information instead of desiring to deceive some of his ignorant constituents by partial and garbled statements, interpolated with forgery of his own, entirely changing the purport, he would have accompanied his reference to Louisiana with some account of the very relevant and important facts contemporaneously telegraphed and which are mentioned as follows in the New Orleans despatches of an anti-Republican paper

A portion of the *Democrats now propose taking forcible possession of the State House* if necessary, and a movement in that direction may occur within the next few days. Mr Patton, Chairman of the Democratic Committee, *is said to have control of 10,000 armed volunteers in the city, and could get 40,000 reserves on a day's notice.* Administrator Cavanac is in Washington to consult with the National Democratic leaders, and is to report by telegraph. *If he advises his party here to take forcible measures to accomplish their objects, nothing, it is thought, can stop bloodshed within the next three days*, especially if the State House is attacked. General Brooks, with the Third Infantry, is quartered in the adjoining building, and would become involved in any collision.

Now, the people could have understood the connadrum of the *Argus* very much more easily if the editor had presented a parallel case and started with the premise that the *Argus* man, or some other Democratic demagogue, had given evidence of a purpose to make an attempt to seize the State House with from 10,000 to 30,000 armed men. Without stopping to consult Governor Connor we venture to assume that in such event our Chief Magistrate would take very prompt and effective measures to protect the State House, and that the people between the *Argus* office and Augusta would fully believe in his support to the extent of the Republican

A SIGNIFICANT VICTORY.

THE REPUBLICANS GAIN THE INDIANA SENATE.

A special election was held in Indiana on Tuesday, to fill a vacancy in the State Senate caused by the death of the former incumbent. The district in which the election was held has, heretofore, been Democratic, and in view of the fact that the political control of the Senate depended upon the result unusual efforts were made by the Democrats to elect their candidate. The election of a Democratic candidate would have made the Senate Democratic by one majority, while the election of the Republican candidate makes it Republican by one majority. The district is composed of the counties of Madison and Delaware Madison, at the Presidential election in November, gave Tilden over 300 majority, while on Tuesday last it gave Doxy, the Republican candidate, 100 majority, thus securing his election Madison is one of the counties in which the "war talk" has prevailed, and in which the Democrats have been making threats of violence should Tilden not be inaugurated. This election seems to show that public sentiment is against such revolutionary mutterings, and that the people of even Democratic communities have no sympathy with those Democratic leaders who are counseling opposition to legal forms in the final settlement of the Presidential election

We suppose the whole thing ought to be considered settled now, since Mr Z L White, the roving correspondent of the N. Y. *Tribune* has written a letter stating just what can and cannot be done by Congress and everybody else concerning the Presidency An admission at the close of his epistle, however is very like the quail flying postscripts of Old Probabilities referred to by Mark Twain, or the old Almanac adage that "all signs fail in a dry time," and we are left to doubt whether Mr White really does know about it after all We have no doubt he thinks he does, because he always writes in a beautifully confident way even concerning matters that he knows least about. He was in Maine during the last campaign and some of his letters were models of misinformation and delightfully ridiculous conclusions He is a fluent writer and a young man of fair abilities and we should say good intentions, but the demand that a "special staff correspondent" shall know more than everybody else is naturally straining, and in attempting to hang out the whole national washing at once on his own tender lines we fear he may have taken too large a contract

The Treasury Department has advices from London that Confederate bonds sold there between the 9th and 11th of November, when Tilden was believed to have been elected, at from 4½ to 5 cents on a dollar It is understood that there is no official quotation of these bonds in London at present A cable despatch to Secretary Morrill, from London, says the impression prevails there that Hayes has been legally elected and will be inaugurated, and in consequence government bonds are advancing

THE MAINE LEGISLATURE

PRELIMINARY NOTES OF THE COMING SESSION—THE PERSONNEL AND PROBABLE ORGANIZATION—MR BLAINE THE UNANIMOUS REPUBLICAN CHOICE FOR SENATOR

[From our Special Correspondent.]

AUGUSTA, Dec 30

The Legislature meets on Wednesday next The State House has been placed in a condition of readiness for the lawmakers, and undoubtedly the session will be one of interest. It is a noticeable fact that there are but few men whose reputation extends beyond the locality of their constituencies who are to compose the assembled wisdom. F A. Pike of Calais is the best known among the Republican members, while John M. Adams, editor of the Portland Argus is the most conspicuous Democratic member But while there are not many members whose names are familiar to the State at large there is every reason to believe that the Legislature will not be behind its predecessors in intelligence and wisdom Neither is it unlikely that some of the younger members will make their marks as useful and valuable legislators There never was a better opening for a promising man to come to the front, and if there are any embryo statesmen in either branch this session will be the golden opportunity for them to show themselves

THE PRESIDING OFFICERS

Of course speculation is rife as to who will be the presiding officers, and the uppermost question is, who will be speaker of the House? The candidates for this position are Edward B Neal of Bangor, Henry B. Cleaves of Portland and Col J Manchester Haynes of Augusta The contest, we are glad to say, is carried on in a friendly manner. All three are young men of ability and either of them would be competent to fill the speaker's chair. Mr Nealley's friends claim that his chances for success are excellent, and they point with pride to his ability and qualifications for the position

The candidates for President of the Senate are Gen Thomas W. Hyde of Sagadahoc and E S Kyes of Franklin. The former was pres ding officer of the Senate last winter and acquitted himself handsomely during his occupancy of the chair as he undoubtedly will again this winter, as his chances of success seem well assured.

OTHER OFFICERS.

Oramandel Smith will be re-elected Clerk of the House and Edwin C. Burleigh will resume his place as assistant, both meeting with no opposition. James B. Walker wants to be Messenger again, but he is meeting with a formidable opposition from John R. Prescott of Rome, who will probably succeed. The Assistant Messenger of last winter will be re-elected.

Samuel W. Lane will be re-elected Secretary of the Senate without any opposition. It would be difficult to find his superior as a clerical officer. For Assistant Secretary there are an unusual number of candidates. Those mentioned are General Charles W. Tilden of Castine, who was a member of the last house, T. H. Maxwell of Webster, who was also a former member. Samuel T. Cannon of Augusta, Mr. Dyer of Portland, James Patten, who was the Folder last winter, and perhaps one or two others. General Tilden appears to be the favorite. The Messengers of last winter are candidates again, and have no competitors.

STATE OFFICERS.

The present incumbents of the offices of Secretary of State and Adjutant General will hold over, according to usage. Mr. Hatch declines to serve out the constitutional period of five years to which he is entitled, and will voluntarily retire from the office of State Treasurer after three years' service. Those brought forward as his successors are W. L. Caldwell, who was Mr. Hatch's predecessor, and who has enjoyed some State old a position in the treasury department for the last ninety days, Col. Isaac Emery, jr. of Lewiston, Ex-Senator Blanchard of Aroostook County Treasurer of York, and Samuel A. Holbrook of Freeport, formerly member of the Senate

ELECTION OF U. S. SENATOR.

One of the most important acts at the commencement of the session will be the election of the Senator. In fact there will be two elections, one to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Secretary Morrill, which place Mr. Blaine now holds by appointment from the Governor, and the other for the full term of six years commencing with the 4th of March next. Both elections will take place on the second Tuesday of the session. Mr. Blaine appears to be the unanimous choice of the the Republicans for the place. Several well known members of the Democratic party are mentioned to run as a matter of form against Mr Blaine, among whom are John C. Talbot, of East Machias, Joseph H Williams and Judge Rice of this city, Gen Samuel J Anderson of Portland, and Wm. P. Haines of Biddeford. The Republican members talk of having their caucus next Thursday evening to nominate their candidate.

WORK OF THE SESSION.

There will be undoubtedly plenty of work for the lawmakers as soon as the Legislature gets into working order The late amendments to the organic law will put a stop to the immense amount of private and special legislation of the past few years or at all events largely curtail it. Of course there will be more or less petitions presented, for the right of petition cannot be denied. And there will be the usual tinkering of laws. The Savings Bank laws will be revised An attempt will be made to change our fishery laws as recommended by the Fish Commissioners

THE NEW EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

The incoming Executive Council will be composed of four new members caused by the expiration of the terms of Messrs Mason, Richards and Stanley, and the filling of a vacancy in the Cumberland district caused by death. The new districts entitled to representation are Oxford, Lincoln and Aroostook The districts which hold over are Sagadahoc, Kennebec and Penobscot

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POLITICAL AND PERSONAL

In a recent conversation with a prominent South Carolinian, an intimate friend and warm supporter of Wade Hampton we were told that he valued his word as he did his life, unless it happened to be appended to a promise to pay —*Boston Transcript.*

We cannot afford to have a President manufactured by such legal chicanery as Mr Tilden might devise in the case of a bankrupt railroad —*New York Public*

In an interview with Gov Chamberlain of South Carolina, referring to Wade Hampton's demand that there had been political murders in that State, he says "My own belief is that over one hundred Republicans have lost their lives purely on account of their political opinions since the 1st of last July in this State, and I know that more than fifty well authenticated cases of political murder have occurred in this State'

Special Notices.

CARD.

The Members of Babcock Engine Co No , wish to convey to Mr Quimby their expression of gratitude for the refreshments so kindly furnished them at the fire Saturday night last.

Jan 1 1t

Bangor Children's Home.

The annual meeting of the Bangor Children's Home will be held at the City Council Room, on TUESDAY, January 2d, at 3 o clock

MARY L. PATTEN, Sec'y

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THE ANNUAL SUPPER AND SALE OF PEWS,

at the Universalist Church,

On Tuesday Evening, January 2d.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

BANGOR Me, Dec 30 1876

Daniel Prentiss Esq

Dear sir I lectured in Bangor, citizens of Bangor of all political parties having heard of your long residence in Louisiana, on the old journals, that State, of your intimate social times with its inhabitants, its topography and your reliable resources, and further more, having proofs that the press of New orleans not publishing articles in the leading men in the State speak highly of your new book called "Louisiana as it is," we would be pleased to listen to you for more nights free from you on your favorite subject which you have so thoroughly studied, the results of your long and careful observations in the Gulf States particularly in the State of Louisiana

JOHN S PATTEN, JAMES A HODGSON
J S. WHEELWRIGHT, LEWIS BARKER
T W VOSE, JOHN A PETERS
E C BRETT A SANFORD
A. K. HARDY C A BOUTELLE
MARCELLUS EMERY

To Messrs John S Patten, John L Hodgdon, J S. Wheelwright, and others.

Gentlemen In reply to your note of the 29th last inviting me to address the citizens of Bangor on the Topography of Louisiana and the invalids the resources of that State, I take pleasure in informing you that it will afford me much satisfaction to deliver one or more free lectures in your city on the subject to which you refer The true character of the soil, climate and resources of Louisiana are little or not at all understood outside of the limits of that State Whatever light I may have acquired, as an old journalist in Louisiana, and as a resident of that State for a lengthy period commencing in the year 1841, will be freely given to inquirers for truth

Respectfully, Your Obt Servant,

Bangor, Dec 30th, 1876. DANIEL PRENTISS

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NOROMBEGA HALL!

For Two Nights Only.

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Seats can be secured at Bugbee's.

Doors open at 7½ Performance to commence at 8 o'clock.

For particulars see programmes

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ANDREWS' ACADEMY.

The Young Ladies' Select Class in Dancing will be opened on TUESDAY AFTERNOON Jan 2d, at 4 o'clock.

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Second Universalist Sociable

AT MUSIC HALL,

Monday Evening, Jan. 1st, 1877.

Fruit, Dancing, etc

Tickets for sale by A E Foye Willis Whitcomb, E M Littlefield, and at the door Gents 50 cts, Ladies 25 cts

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BOSTON STEAMERS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

On and after Monday, January 1st, the Steamers for Boston will run as follows: Leave Portland every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock P M Returning, leave Boston every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 3 P M.

J. B COYLE, Jr.

dec28 sn 1tr Gen'l Agent, Portland

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby cautioned against depositing ashes or slag of any kind in the streets.

F. E. BOYNTON,

dec29 City Marshal

D. W. MAXFIELD,

DENTIST

Office No. 2 1-2 Strickland Block,

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Ether administered when desired. Teeth warranted.

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WE ARE SELLING BANGOR CITY BONDS

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Lecture by Agassiz, Celebrated Photographs, etc.

BANBURY NEWS MAN

(J. M. BAILEY.)

Wednesday Eve'g, Jan. 3, '77

"England from a Back Window"

SUBJECT.

This lecture was suggested by his recent travels in Europe, in which he will relate his experience in England in that well known humorous style which has made him famous throughout the United States and Europe.

Arrangements have been made to have the Hall well warmed throughout.

Reserved Seats, 50 cents.
General Admission, 35 cents.
Tickets for sale at Bugbee's.

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DR. R. K. JONES

Has removed his office to Nos 2 and 3 Hatch's New Block, over Sullivan & Jones' Store, No 9 Main St

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For Sale.

For one half its value one new Hall size Davis & Chase Grand Piano very fine tone and finish.

A D HARLOW,

dec29 sn 149 Essex Street

REMOVAL

MELLE BOURDON has removed from her old rooms, 74 Main, to No 4 Everett St, near Ohio, where she will continue to give instruction in the French language Pupils instructed at their residence, if desired

Drawing class to continue as before

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Fire Engines For Sale.

By the introduction of water by the "Holly Water Works," we are enabled to offer for sale the popular and well known Hand Engines.

EAGLE NO. 3, AND TIGER NO. 6.

Also one of our

Steam Fire Engines.

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Are having a Fog Bell built at Hinckley & Egery's Machine Shop in this city, one of which is to be erected at Ash Island Point, some five miles south west of the Bell that is now running at Owl's Head which has proved a perfect success. Two more Bells will be built this winter—one to be located near Hallock's, in Penobscot Bay, and the other at Cape Elizabeth, on the Portland side of the English Channel.

The Ash Island Bell will be set up on exhibition at the Machine Shop about the 15th of this month

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Assessors' Notice.

The Assessors will be in session at their office on SATURDAY AFTERNOON for a few weeks to attend to any business which may come before them

NEWELL BLAKE,
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Would like to teach some advanced Piano pupils in CLASSIC MUSIC, Sonata playing, Violin and Piano duets. Will guarantee to improve the scholar in time, taste and expression and a proper conception of some of the best composers.

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MARRIED.

In Hallowell, Dec 24th, at the residence of the bride's father, Rev Dr Tyler, Mr William Otis Bradbury of Bangor and Miss Julia Tyler Hastings

DIED.

In this city, Dec 31st, after a long and lingering illness, Emily Gustafan, aged 18 years, 8 months and 18 days

Funeral services at her late residence on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

List of Letters,

Remaining in the Post Office at Bangor, for the week ending Dec 30, 1876. If any of these letters will be delivered to the writers, if not called for in ten days, they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

GENTLEMEN'S LIST

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LADIES' LIST

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Miss Mary E Blake, Miss Mary A Bliss, Miss M. [illegible]

Mrs Olive Gilman, Mrs Sarah Hatch, Mrs Ellen Hutchinson, Mrs Adelia M [illegible]

Mrs Sarah Jones, Mrs Ellen Kelley, Mrs Sarah Kelley, Mrs Ann Lane, Mrs Ann Lane, Mrs Ann Lane

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Whig and Courier.

MONDAY, JAN. 1, 1877.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

MARINE DISASTER.

An Ellsworth Schooner Wrecked.

BOSTON, Dec. 30. The schooner Theressa of Ellsworth, Me., Capt. John Ray, while lying at Porter & Gilbert's wharf, discharging lumber, broke her chains at about 9 o'clock last evening, and drifted ashore on the rocks in Second Cove. Part of her bulwarks were stove in, also a plank or two in her bottom.

Damage to Vessels in Rockland Harbor.

ROCKLAND, Dec. 30. The gale here last night was one of the most severe for years and an immense quantity of snow fell. The schooner S. J. Lindsey broke from the wharf and stove in her bulwarks. The small schooner Rescue drifted ashore and was wrecked on the ledge. The schooner Alfred Keene broke her moorings and drifted ashore, but got off without damage.

The R. R. Thomas.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 30th. The American ship R. R. Thomas, (Capt. Nickels) from Bangor November 23d and Searsport Dec. 3d, arrived at this port to-day. She experienced heavy weather, lost her deck-load and had her bulwarks stove.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

FORTY-FOURTH CONGRESS, Second Session

House.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.

Attention having been called to the fact that there was no quorum present, the House at 12 05 adjourned till Wednesday, January 3d, 1877.

THE GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Wholesale Strike of Engineers.

VIOLENCE RESORTED TO.

Full Particulars of the Strike and Its Consequences.

MONTREAL, Dec. 30. The difference existing between the Grand Trunk Railway authorities and the members of the Brotherhood of Engineers culminated last night in the commencement of the threatened strike. This contingency was one which the managers had foreseen, and to some extent anticipated by the arrangements which they had made. Indeed, knowing that the strike would commence at the hour above mentioned, they had provided for all passenger trains engineers who were pledged to stand by them. But many of these, either through hopes of benefits or fears of the consequences, when the time of trial came went back on them, while others, who intended to strike, took their trains out as usual, without remark, deliberately abandoned them and the trains to which they were attached between stations, and at considerable distance from where they could obtain relief. These last mentioned are

Altogether Inexcusable,

and cannot possibly meet with either sympathy or countenance, whatever side excuse might be invented for the simple abandonment either before starting their trains or at the stations at which they might arrive at the nearest time to that fixed for the strike. This desertion on their part under the circumstances has placed in peril the lives of the passengers and has very much endangered the property of the Company. As it has turned out the Company has been grossly deceived and have been made to perpetrate an imposition upon the public, than which nothing was further from their thoughts, for they had the strongest promises of support from the men who started out last night and at 9 o'clock, no matter where they were, altogether neglected the duties which they had been engaged to perform. Moreover, the mere fact of their taking control of the engines at starting was a tacit engagement to run the trip, and hence neither the Company nor the travelling public had any reason to expect that what has taken place in these cases would have occurred. But not only did men act in the manner we have described, but some of them resorted to

Acts of the Most Brutal Violence

to prevent engineers who would not submit to the dictates of the brotherhood from driving their engines. At Stratford driver McKibbon, who had brought the passenger train from Berlin, was set upon by a number of fellows who brutally ill treated him, winding up by throwing him through the cab of his engine severely injuring him. The Mayor, Mr. Daly, being appraised of the circumstances, interfered and promised to help the company and protect the men who worked for them in Toronto.

A Gathering of Masked Men.

According to our despatches, about 10 o'clock some 50 men, some of whom were masked, collected in the neighborhood of the round house, and as it was feared they intended damaging the property of the company a squad of police were summoned and placed on duty. At half-past one the men were still congregated but were quiet. A train, however, was approaching from the west and an attack was expected. This was the only one moving along the whole line.

The men of Toronto damaged two engines seriously and assailed some non-strikers. The Mayor of Toronto in view of these circumstances has placed the whole police force at the disposal of the company, and at all other points where the men have refused to work, arrangements have been made for the aid of the municipal authorities if necessary.

NEW YORK CITY.

The Loss of the Circassian—Twenty-Nine Men Perish.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. The steamship Circassian, which went ashore near Bridghampton, L. I., a fortnight since, went to pieces during the gale last night. Only four men out of thirty-three employed on her were saved. She had been discharged and was to have been hauled off to-day. A sloop capsized in the gale this morning off Sandy Hook, but she sank before the wreckers could reach her. It is not known whether there was any one on board.

FLORIDA.

The Governorship—Settled Conviction that Governor Stearns Will Be Inaugurated.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. A Tallahassee despatch to the Times says Secretary of State McLin declined to give a certificate of election to Drew as Governor, as he was powerless to give such certificate except upon the solemn order of the Supreme Court. There seems to be a settled conviction that Gov. Stearns will take the oath of office next Monday.

A Claim for Drew.

JACKSONVILLE, Dec. 30. The Senate Committee is still in session. There is nothing new developed. The Sub-Committee of the House has not yet returned. The Republican leaders have give up the State to Drew.

LOUISIANA.

Affairs in New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 31. There is little excitement here to-night in regard to to-morrow. A heavy rain storm keeps people within doors.

The U. S. troops are all ordered to remain in their barracks to-morrow and the officers to be at their posts, but it is apprehended that any session will serve to call them out.

The Republican Caucus, it is understood nominated Ex-Gov. Hahn for Speaker, it is understood that only the members returned by the Board will be admitted to the State House to-morrow.

The Railway Horror.

APPALLING DETAILS.

FEW BODIES RECOGNIZABLE.

ABOUT 120 LIVES LOST.

Further Particulars of the Awful Calamity.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 30 2 A. M. There are known to be 75 persons in the wreck now. We cannot learn yet if any are alive.

The Cleveland special relief train has arrived and surgeons have gone to work.

2.30 A. M. The very latest gives sixty as the number wounded, and 100 killed. Mrs. Frame, of Rochester, N. Y., who was injured, is not expected to live.

Details of the Horror.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. A special from Ashtabula says the storm there yesterday was so severe that very few business places kept open after 4 or 5 o'clock, and the trains from all directions were several hours behind time. About 8 P. M., the village was aroused by a general fire alarm and word soon spread that passenger train No. 5, from the East, had gone through the high bridge over Ashtabula river, with a large number of passengers, and the whole train was on fire. A lurid glare in that direction confirmed the report, and in spite of the terrible night nearly the whole village and all the fire engines were soon en route to the depot, about one mile from the village. The train was due at Ashtabula at 5:15 and was nearly three hours late. It had eleven cars, including one drawing room car, three sleepers, one smoking car, two coaches and four baggage and express cars. It was drawn by two engines, the Socrates ahead, followed by the Columbia No. 300. Daniel McGuire, engineer of the Socrates, relates: The train was running slow and just as they had fairly crossed the High bridge, not more than 40 rods distant from the depot, they felt

The Breaking Down of the Bridge.

A violent jar, and in an instant the coupling between the Socrates and the Columbia broke, and the whole train was precipitated with the bridge into the river, 65 feet below. Mr. McGuire says his engine was pulled back nearly to the edge of the broken span before the coupling broke and regained its forward motion barely in time to save itself. The bridge was an iron truss bridge, and had been in use about 11 years. It is supposed the heavy draughts must have thrown the cars from the track, causing the cold irons to snap

The Horrible Scene Below

beggars all description. The span is about 100 feet wide, and through the space below flows the river, about four or five feet deep, at this time thickly covered with ice. Into this space were the eleven cars and one engine and tender precipitated, the fall of course breaking through the ice and shivering the cars as if a magazine of nitro glycerine had exploded beneath them.

Over 165 Passengers in the Ruins.

The seven passenger coaches altogether contained about 165 adults and a number of children. In the drawing room car bound for Cleveland were nine persons, all supposed to have perished. In the two sleeping cars bound for Chicago were 35 passengers. Most of those in the forward car are saved with injuries more or less severe. Within a very few moments after the crash the flames burst out from nearly every car. Ere help was at hand the flames were striving with the icy torrent as to which should devour the greater number of human lives.

Mr. Frank Belknap, who was the earliest at the scene says the

Piteous Cries For Help

from the victims were enough to distract the stoutest hearts. Here was a young and finely dressed girl, about 10 years old, struggling in vain to release her hips from the weight which was crushing her slender frame, and close behind her were flames shooting out forked tongues, which in another instant had enwrapped her in their furious embrace. Here was a fine appearing gentleman of middle age sitting bolt upright in his seat and unable to extricate himself, calmly awaiting the flames which soon claimed their victim. There were bodies floating out from the wreck and others not yet struggled by the icy flood were attempting to reach the shore.

Trying to Extricate the Living.

A crowd soon made their way to the burning debris, and with axes and ropes extricated many persons, who were placed on stretchers and taken to the top of the hill, where the best of assistance awaited them. The hotels at the depot were soon filled, and private houses thrown open throughout the town. The surgeons of the town rendered all the assistance in their power, but many perished during the night, notwithstanding the best of care. Others are now lying in a suffering condition. Fully 100 persons were killed in this terrible disaster.

Horrible!

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. A despatch from the scene of the accident on the Lake Shore Railroad reads as follows: Up to noon, of 165 passengers, less than 60 are known to be saved with injuries more or less severe. The lost are so totally disfigured by fire that identification is utterly impossible. Of the dead, the name of but one is known.

Maine People in the Disaster.

BOSTON, Dec. 30. Among those wounded at Ashtabula are Charles Ricker, Biddeford, Me., not serious; W. B. Sanderson, Auburn, Me., slight injuries. George A. White, of D. White & Son, Portland, is one of those slightly hurt.

Removing the Dead.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 30. The list of dead at Ashtabula can only be ascertained when it becomes gradually apparent that those who were to have been passengers on this ill-fated train do not make their appearance. The work of removing bodies from the wreck is still going on. Forty have already been brought out and there are still evidence of many more under the debris. It is impossible to identify more than three of the bodies. All the rest are burned, charred and blackened beyond recognition.

The Dead—About 120 in Number.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 30. The Commercial's special from Cleveland says the killed cannot number less than 100 and may reach 120, as only 54 out of 170 or 174 passengers have been found. Rev. A. A. Washburn, Rector of Grace Church Cleveland, is among the lost. 30 of the wounded have been brought to this city and distributed among the hospitals. The mails and baggage have all been lost. Most of the dead seem to have been from New York, New England and Illinois. The majority of the bodies were reduced to ashes. Those which are in any degree preserved were saved from being entirely burned by the water. The engine lies completely wrecked with wheels uppermost at the bottom of the ravine. The wreck will not be cleared before Sunday night.

Sunday—Still Working Among the Ruins.

ASHTABULA, O., Dec. 31. During the entire day over 100 men have continued the labor of clearing away the debris of the wrecked train and bridge in Ashtabula river. The labor was rewarded by the recovery of only two more bodies and some unrecognizable burned pieces of flesh, and the belief is gaining ground that many passengers were totally or almost wholly consumed. Intense excitement prevails and scores of persons have arrived here from the East and West in search of information regarding missing friends, but little satisfaction can be given them. Telegrams are also being constantly received making news of absent ones. The boxes in the freight house containing bodies were numbered to-day, and white paper labels placed on those identified. There are 36 bodies, or masses of charred and blackened flesh in boxes. A Coroner's jury have begun taking evidence and will investigate the horror thoroughly.

THE WEATHER.

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THE INDIANS.

Renewed Raids.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. A Western despatch reports a raid on Medicine Bow by a Sioux war party with 800 lodges and 3,000 shelter tents and claiming to have 250 families with him, camped near Milk river crossing, and the Yankton Chiefs notified Agent Mitchell that Sitting Bull expressed a desire to see him. Sitting Bull called Gen. Miles a fraud.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES.

A fire in a drug warehouse in St. Louis Friday night, caused a loss of $60,000.

An incendiary fire at Stockbridge, Mass., Friday night, destroyed $25,000 worth of property.

The Democrats of Kentucky propose to hold a State Convention on the 18th to consider the political situation.

All business was suspended at Erie, Pa., Friday, on account of the storm.

A man supposed to be Charles Nixon, of Lewiston, was killed by a train in Portland Saturday evening.

A fishing vessel which left Biddeford Thursday, to be out 24 hours, containing two men, is supposed to be lost.

A. A. and Albert Kuapp have been arrested on a charge of robbing Johnson, a driver, of East Livermore, last November.

Capt. R. H. Simonton, of Rockland, who was struck on the head Tuesday by Wm. Cozzens on board his vessel, died at midnight Saturday.

FOREIGN NEWS.

TURKEY.

The Armistice Prolonged.

PARIS, Dec. 30. It is officially announced here that the armistice is prolonged till March 1st, and apprehension of an unfavorable issue are considerably diminished.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1. Money closed at 6@7 per cent.

Gold closed at 107.

STERLING EXCHANGE closed at 4.84@4.80.

Government Securities closed at the following quotations.—

U. S. 6s,	
U S 6's, due 81, (coup Jan 1 & July 1) ex int	111
" " " '65, (coup May 1 & Nov 1)	109½
" " " '65, (coup Jan 1 & July 1)	113
" " " '67, (coup Jan 1 & July 1)	113
" " " '68, (coup Jan 1 & July 1)	117
" 10-40's, 5 p c b'nds (coup Mar 1 & Sept 1)	113½
" currency 6's,	121
" 4½s,	108

(Above quotations include the accrued interest)

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1. FLOUR is quiet — sales 9,500—Superfine western and State, 5.30 @ 5.80, extra Ohio, 5.85@7.50; white wheat western, 6.05 @ 7.50. Southern, 5.75 @8.75

WHEAT is dull — sales 60,000 bushels—142 for No. 2 Milwaukee, 139@140 for ungraded Spring; 138 for No 2 Chicago, 135 for winter red western.

CORN is dull — sales 25,000 bushels —57@58 for new no grade mixed; 58½ for new steamer mixed, 60 for new graded No. 1.

OATS quiet — sales 13,000 bushels—Mixed Western and state, 38@41; white western and state, 41 @ 50

Coffee firm—Rio 17@20¾.

SUGAR quiet—Fair to good Refining, 9@9¾, prime, 10¼, standard A, 11¼, powdered, 11¼, granulated 11¼@11¾.

PETROLEUM dull—Crude, 15, refined, 28

ROSIN at 2.50@2 60.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE at 47@48.

PORK—new mess, 17 50

BEEF is quiet.

LARD —prime steam, 11.25.

FREIGHTS TO LIVERPOOL firm.

LOCAL MATTERS.

"A Happy New Year."

Date that letter January 1st, 1877.

During the recent storm about twelve inches of snow fell at Orono.

Gen. C. W. Tilden, of Castine, Inspector of State Militia, was in town Saturday.

Hon. Wm. G. Barrows, of the Supreme Court, was in town Saturday on his way to Calais.

To-morrow evening the second of the course of three Germans will be given at Andrew's Academy.

The second of the very pleasant sociables given by the Universalist Society occurs this evening at Music Hall.

The hydrants, we are requested to state, are in charge of the Water Board, who are responsible for keeping them in order for fire service.

Schoolcraft and Cole's Novelty Company will appear in this city on the 6th and 8th of this month. Tickets for sale at Bugbee & Co.'s to-morrow.

Saturday afternoon the Greyhound was changed from wheels to runners, and it is an easy matter to take her to the fires now through the deep snow.

The annual meeting of Hose Company No. 3 will be held at their rooms on Columbia street this evening, where an oyster supper will be served to the members of the company.

A horse and sleigh was found last night about six o'clock at the foot of State street hill by a young man, and given into the charge of officer Nickerson, who took the team to a stable and had the horse taken care of.

Mr. Fletcher, Principal of the Normal School at Castine, will not go South this winter as has been reported in some of the papers, but will remain at the North, giving up his school, as his health will not permit him to teach.

The Pullman train Saturday did not reach this city until one o'clock, the storm being heavier West, and at one time it required the use of four engines to take the train through some of the drifts. The E. & N. A. train did not leave until 2 P. M.

Remember that the tickets for "The Danbury News Man's" lecture, which is to be given at Norombega Hall on Wednesday evening next, are now for sale at Messrs. D. Bugbee's. His lecture "England From a Back Window" is spoken of by the Boston papers as one that abounds in wit.

The music of Mr. Andrews' Orchestra has caused the Emery Hall Promenade Concerts, at Bucksport, to become very popular. The floor is politely managed by Messrs. James Douglass, C. C. Homer and Horace Buck. The galleries are filled by lovers of music, while the floor is occupied by a crowd of dancers.

The Ladies' Crusade hold a reception today in the Reading Room, on Franklin street, where they would be happy to receive the Reform Club and other temperance friends who have aided them in their work. Reception commences at two o'clock. The pledge will be open to signatures throughout the day.

On Saturday evening about half-past seven, as Mr. Brailey, of the firm of Bowen & Brailey, was going into his store he heard a man in the office. But before he could get to him he ran down the cellar stairs and out of the back doors, which had been unfastened on the inside. It is supposed that the man got himself locked in. Some $15 or more was taken.

OUR CARRIER BOYS, who leave at your doors throughout the year THE WHIG AND COURIER, present their compliments this morning and their annual address.—Through the heat of summer, the storm, the sunshine, and the bleak blasts and storms of winter they faithfully perform their task and any little remembrance will be thankfully received by them.

[illegible] Dec. 31, at 8 P. M., in the Congregational Church, which was filled to its utmost capacity. A delegation of the [illegible] Union, with a large number from this city were present by invitation. Short stirring speeches were made full of hope and cheer for the cause, and the meeting was felt to be successful throughout.

FROM EAST ORRINGTON. Prof. Robinson of Bowdoin College delivered an interesting lecture at East Orrington last Friday evening. The subject, "Air" was treated in a simple yet able manner by the Professor. The relation between "living" and "burning" was clearly shown, and his statements proved by a number of successful experiments. At the close the audience manifested their approbation by extending a vote of thanks. The proceeds were given to the Congregational Society of East Orrington.

GREAT ANXIETY was felt in this city Saturday and yesterday for the safety of T. N. Egery, Esq., it being feared that he was a passenger on the ill-fated train on the Lake Shore road, but it was relieved by a despatch from him yesterday morning, he having been a passenger on train No. 1, which passed over the road before the awful accident occurred. Mr. Frank Hodgkins, son of J. M. Hodgkins, Esq., it is thought was on the train as nothing could be learned of him except from friends in Chicago who fear he is among the killed or wounded. Mr. Hodgkins left on Saturday evening's train for the scene of the disaster.

FIRE AT EAST HAMPDEN. A fire broke out about 12:15 yesterday morning at East Hampden, which proved to be the house of Thomas McDonough, supposed to have caught from a defective flue. The house was totally destroyed, giving the inmates barely time to escape with their lives, with nothing on but their night clothes. The fire got under such headway before discovered that it was impossible to get anything out and the furniture, together with all the wearing apparel, was burned. The fire spread to the store of Joseph Cary, but was extinguished before it had done much damage, through the efforts of the Greyhound. The family mentioned have lost their all and are in great need of clothing.

A LECTURE ON LOUISIANA. By correspondence given elsewhere it will be seen that Daniel Dennett Esq. has been invited to lecture on the material resources of Louisiana, in which State he has long been a resident. Mr. Dennett has already spoken in public several times in this State, and we have been somewhat amused to find that some of the New Orleans papers deem it worthy of remark that he has received a courteous and friendly reception. The people of Maine are always ready to give any respectable person a fair hearing on any subject of interest, and while we believe that our citizens will do better in the long run to stay at home and build up our own State, there is no unwillingness to learn about other sections. Mr. Dennett has had an extensive experience as a journalist in Louisiana and his efforts in behalf of the material prosperity of that State are highly commended by representatives of all parties there. As a former resident of Maine he takes a special interest in addressing our people concerning his adopted State.

A MURDEROUS ASSAULT.

Attempted Highway Robbery.

A Murderous Assault on and Attempted Robbery of a Stranger by a Banger Rough—James McAloon the Assailant—Circumstances of the Case—A Villain who Should Be at Thomaston—Two Charges of Highway Robbery Against Him.

One of the boldest attempts at highway robbery that perhaps ever occurred in this city was made on Saturday night, and although human life was not sacrificed considerable blood was spilled, and the scene of the struggle (the Lime-street Common) looked as if some one had done a day's butchering thereon. The circumstances of the case are as follows:

On Saturday evening's train from St. John a man giving his name as John B. Hoyt, and hailing from that city, arrived and was met at the depot by one James McAloon, who addressed him, saying he was glad to see a man from St. John as it was his native place, and together the men proceeded up the street to the Penobscot Exchange, where Hoyt says McAloon, who gave his name as Devil (not so far out of the way, either) asked him to go up to his home with him, but the invitation was declined and both entered the hotel. Hoyt said he knew a family in St. John by the name which McAloon claimed, and believed him to be as he stated, a member of it. He says also that McAloon or, rather, Devil, entered the hotel with him, and after supper they had some further conversation, which ended in their starting out for a walk, though it was then 10 o'clock. Proceeding up the street Devil invited him into a saloon for a drink, pressing the matter until he yielded and followed into the saloon. Devil went behind the bar and poured out the liquor which they drank. Just here, Hoyt says, his companion stooped down behind the bar and picked up something, probably the iron used in the encounter which afterwards occurred. He fumbled in his pockets and finally said he had not the change to pay for the drinks, and accordingly Hoyt took out his wallet and paid.

The two men left the saloon and Hoyt says he told Devil that it was getting late and he thought he would return to the hotel, but was pressed by his companion to go up to his home, which he said was not far off, and they started on together again. After they had gone a long distance Hoyt said he did not like the appearance of things, and turned to ask Devil how much farther it was to his house, when the latter struck him with a heavy iron, knocking him down and succeeded in getting his wallet. Here ensued a struggle, and after some minutes Hoyt got the weapon from the hands of his antagonist and belabored his head with it until he considered him dead. He then secured his wallet and went to a house and knocked and shouted for help at the back door, but did not raise anyone. Next Hoyt says he went to the front door and rang the bell, when some one asked who was there, and he said "a friend, badly hurt." Here he waited for some time but no one came to the door, and seeing some men on the street whom he feared were friends of his late antagonist, he left the house, running down the street, continuing on until he came to the railway track, which he followed to the depot and thence to the hotel, it then being about midnight.

Mr. Hoyt's face was badly cut by the iron in the hands of his desperate assailant, especially under the right eye, where there is a gash some three inches long, and in addition his thumb was bitten severely by the fellow. The night police were notified of the affair and were given as good a description of the "Devil" as Mr. Hoyt was able to present after his brief, but terrible interview with him. Together with Marshal Walker they started out, having ascertained that McAloon was the man. They went to his residence on Pickering street, surrounded it and asked if Charley was in, and he came to the door. Then a girl came to the door and Marshal Walker and officer Nickerson entered the house to search it. While looking about they came to a bedroom door, where the Marshal stopped and asked the girl who was there, to which she answered, "Father, but you must not go in there as he is very sick." She entered the room and as she thought, closed the door, but the Marshal put his toe in to prevent, and thus heard her say, "Jim the officers are after you." The officers immediately entered and found the man covered with blood in bed with his father and took him out and to the station house. The only explanation McAloon offered when asked by the Marshal as to the cause of his bloody and cut head, was that he had been engaged in a fight down on the street leading from State to York, near the residence of the Stearns'.

McAloon's head received a severe and just punishment at the hands of Hoyt, and now bears a gash on the crown about two and a half inches long, two more on the forehead and another above the nose. A physician patched him up yesterday, finding that his head is cut, but no fracture of the skull.

Mr. Hoyt seems to be an honest citizen, who was enticed by the fellow's talk, and not by any seeking of his company, into this out of the way place, for the purpose of robbery. McAloon was perfectly familiar with St. John and its localities, giving the names of many people, acquaintances of Hoyt, and talked familiarly of the West, whether he (Hoyt) was bound, and thus in a measure won his confidence.

McAloon is a thoroughly bad fellow, if half that is said about him is true, and is worthy of the careful attention of our courts to prevent him from performing a similar or worse deed than this. In August last he knocked down and robbed a man named Mansel and succeeded in making his escape. He has not been in the city long, for the Marshal was unaware of his presence until some one mentioned that he was here, when it was decided that he was the man. He will be brought before the court this morning, when Mr. Hoyt, who fully recognizes him as the would-be robber, will appear against him.

Mr. Hoyt's wounds were attended to by a physician yesterday morning, and he is getting along comfortably. The iron with which McAloon made the murderous assault is now in the hands of the police, having been retained by Mr. H. after he had finished using it on his dastardly assailant.

Temperance.

Every seat and even much of the standing room was occupied at the Reform Club meeting held in City Hall yesterday. An increased devotion to the work of battling intemperance has awoke among our citizens; and all who are actively engaged take new courage. The choir sang "Over there," Mrs. Pickard read a selection from the Scriptures, and Dea. Warren offered a fervent prayer. The retiring President, Mr. Barnaby, then addressed the meeting as follows:

"This day's service completes my duties as Chairman of these meetings and as President of the organization to which I belong; and in retiring from that position, and in the name of my Club I desire to return my warmest thanks to the citizens of Bangor, one and all, and to the friends of temperance generally for the unwearied interest and very generous sympathy ever manifested toward us and our work of reform, as attested by the numerous and continued presence at these public meetings; and more especially do I desire to thank them for their attendance during the year I have had the honor and pleasure to preside. I deeply regret my inability to render the praise that is justly due, or that tribute of highest commendations so richly deserved."

The following members of the Club also made brief remarks: S. L. Stevens, Chaplain Boyer, Alex. McKinnon, P. R. Seavey, A. McFarland, C. V. Crossman, C. S. Webber, J. F. Montgomery, J. W. Carney, F. A. Green, John Green, T. H. Wheeler, J. H. Hussey and R. N. McIntyre; Dea. D. Warren, Mrs. Crossman and Mrs. Pickard also spoke briefly; and the whole exercises went to make a most interesting occasion. Signatures were added to the pledge. The meeting closed with singing "Only an Armour Bearer."

From Milo.

A correspondent writes: At the annual meeting of Piscataquis Lodge Free and Accepted Masons, held at their hall on last Friday evening, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: J. M. Palmer, M.; O. Hamlin, S. W.; L. Sands, J. W., W. H. Owen, Treasurer; W. P. Young, Secretary; N. J. Dumphey, S. D., F. B. Hassell, J. D.; E. Thompson, S. S.; James Lyford, J. S.; S. H. Hobbs, Tyler. W. E. Gould, H. F. Duggett, S. H. Hobbs, Financial Committee. A public installation will be held next Friday evening Jan. 5, 1877.

The following are the newly elected officers of Dirigo Lodge I. O. O. F.: C. A. Snow, N. G.; R. A. Monroe, V. G.; D. B. Tolman, R. S.; C. H. Savage, P. S.; J. L. Sargent, Treasurer; R. A. Monroe, Isaac Hanscom, James L. Smart, Trustees.

Last Wednesday afternoon and evening the people of Milo and vicinity showed their appreciation of the labors of Rev. F. A. Palmer of Milo by making him a donation amounting to fifty-eight dollars, thirty-five dollars being in money.

Police Court.

Charles Russell came before the Court Saturday on a charge of malicious mischief and was bound over in $400 bonds to appear at the Supreme Court.

Business Items.

Inventors are justly proud of the grand display of machinery, manufactures and designs made by the United States at the Centennial Exposition. The past thirty years have been replete with great mechanical triumphs for America in the way of labor-saving machinery, musical instruments, watches, etc., and to the fertile minds who have conceived these benefits humanity owes more than a simple honorable recognition. The patent office is designed to secure the inventor a full protection in his particular field, but it is of the utmost importance that he should have the services and advice of an experienced solicitor in securing his letters patent, that no flaw or conflicting claim shall rob him of his well-earned reward. Mr. R. H. Eddy, of Boston, who for more than thirty years has been in active practice, will be found such an one, and has the higest record for ability, integrity and success in all matters connected with procuring patents, trade-marks and designs.

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Marine Journal.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

NEW YORK. Ar 28th, schrs City of Chelsea, Goodwin, Prince Edward Island, Pavilion, Robbins, Calais.

BOSTON. Ar 28th, ship Mermon, Baker, Sanspoie.

BATH. Sld 28th, bark Endeavor, Mountfort, Cardenas.

FORTRESS MONROE. Ar 28th, schrs J M Morales, Eldridge, St Marc for Philadelphia, H H Seavey, Philbrook, Fernandina for do (had bad weather and lost part of deckload)

PORT ROYAL, SC Ar 28th, schr Elwood Doran, Warrington, Philadelphia.

SAVANNAH. Ar 27th, ship Harriet H McGilvery, Blake, London for orders.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Ar at Havana, Dec 29, brig Addie Hale, Shepard, Pascagoula.

At Mayaguez, PR, Dec 13, schr Emma Green, Philbrook, from Brunswick, Ga, ar 11th.

At Matanzas, 23d, brig Geo Gilchrist, Orcutt, for North of Hatteras, schr Jennie Beazley, Harrington, for do.

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THE HEROES OF ELMWOOD.

BY HENRY W LONGFELLOW.

Warm and still is this summer night,
As here by the river's brink I wander,
White overhead are the stars, and white
The glimmering lamps on the hill-side yonder.

Silent are all the sounds of day,
Nothing I hear but the chirp of crickets,
And the cry of the herons winging their way
O'er the poet's house in the Elmwood thickets.

Call to him, herons, as slowly you pass
To your roosts in the haunts of the exiled thrushes,
Sing him the song of the green morass,
And the tides that water the reeds and rushes

Sing him the mystical song of the hern,
And the secret that baffles our utmost seeking,
For only a sound of lament we discern,
And cannot interpret the words you are speaking.

Song of the air, and the wild delight
Of wings that uplift and winds that uphold you,
The joy of freedom, the rapture of flight
Through the drift of the floating mists that enfold you,

Of the landscape lying so far below,
With its towns, and river, and desert places,
And the splendor of light above, and the glow
Of the limitless, blue, ethereal spaces.

Ask him if songs of the Troubadours,
Or of Minnesingers in old black-letter,
Sound in his ears more sweet than yours,
And if yours are not sweeter and wilder and better

Sing to him, say to him, here at his gate,
Where the boughs of the stately elms are meeting;
Some one hath lingered to meditate,
And send him unseen this friendly greeting,

That many another hath done the same,
Though not by a sound was the silence broken,
The surest pledge of a deathless name
Is the silent homage of thoughts unspoken.

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Bangor Dec 23d, 1876

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JOSEPH AREY, late of Brewer,

in the County of Penobscot, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs. She therefore requests all persons who are indebted to the estate of said deceased, to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon, to present the same for settlement to her.

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Second National Bank of Bangor.

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W S. DENNETT, Cashier

Bangor, Dec. 7th, 1876

Merchants National Bank.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank will be held on TUESDAY, the 9th of January proximo, at 3 o clock P M, to elect a Board of Directors and transaction of any other business that may come before them

M P. STICKNEY, Cashier

Bangor, Dec 8th, 1876.

Orono National Bank.

Stockholders of this Bank are notified that their annual meeting for the election of a Board of Directors will be held at their Banking room, MONDAY, January 1, 1877, at 10 o'clock A M

E P BUTLER, Cashier

Orono, Dec 1, 1876.

NOTICE.

The Stockholders of the Veazie National Bank of Bangor are hereby notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking Room on Tuesday, the 9th day of January 1877, at 3 o clock P M, for the choice of Directors and for such other business as may properly come before them

WM C HOLT, Cashier

Bangor, Dec. 9th, 1876

First National Bank of Bangor.

The Stockholders of the First National Bank of Bangor are notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking Room on Tuesday, the 9th day of January next, at 3 o'clock P M, for the choice of Directors, and for such other business as may legally come before them

C MERRILL, Cashier

Bangor, Dec. 9th, 1876 nov11

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Farmers National Bank of Bangor, for the choice of Directors, and such other business as may legally come before them will be held at their Banking Room on TUESDAY, the 9th day of January next, at 11 o'clock A M.

J SWETT ROWE, Cashier

Bangor, Dec. 8th, 1876

Traders National Bank.

The Stockholders of this Bank are hereby notified that their Annual Meeting for the choice of Directors, and the transaction of any other business legally before them, will be held at their Banking Room, on THURSDAY, the 11th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon

E TRASK, Cashier

Bangor, December 9, 1876.

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Bangor, Dec. 15, 1876. 1m

District Court of the United States for the District of Maine.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of HUGH ROSS, Bankrupt, against whom a petition was filed in said Court, May 8th, A D 1876.

DISTRICT OF MAINE, ss

A warrant in Bankruptcy has been issued, by said Court, against the estate of Hugh Ross, of the County of Penobscot, and State of Maine, in said District; he has been duly adjudged bankrupt, upon petition of his creditors; and the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at Bangor, in said District, on the second day of January, A. D 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of Charles Hamlin, Esq., (in the Bankrupt Court Room) one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said Court.

S. S MARBLE,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger, for said District.
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Notice of Assignee of His Appointment.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine. In the matter of George D Stockwell, Bankrupt, in Bankruptcy.

DISTRICT OF MAINE, ss. At Bangor, the 1st day of December, A D. 1876. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of George D. Stockwell, of Eddington, in the county of Penobscot and State of Maine, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said District, filed Oct 24, 1876.

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Notice of Assignee of Its Appointment.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine. In the matter of Joseph F. Clement, Bankrupt.

DISTRICT OF MAINE, ss. At Bangor, the 12th day of December, A. D. 1876. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Joseph F. Clement, of Bangor, in the County of Penobscot, and State of Maine, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, filed Oct. 2nd, 1876, by the District Court of said District.

HENRY L. MITCHELL, Assignee.

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State of Maine.

PENOBSCOT, ss Court of Probate, December Term, A D 1876

Catherine Saxton, named Executrix in a certain instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Patrick Saxton, late of Bangor, in said County, deceased, having presented the same for Probate,

ORDERED, That said Executrix give public notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Weekly Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have why the same should not be proved, approved and allowed, as the Last Will and Testament of said deceased

JOHN E GODFREY, Judge

A true copy,—Attest
AMBROSE C FLINT Register
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Administrator's Notice.

The subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that she has been duly appointed, and has taken upon herself the trust of Administratrix of the estate of

JOSEPH B FOSS, late of Bangor,

in the county of Penobscot, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs She therefore requests all persons who are indebted to the estate of said deceased, to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon, to present the same for settlement to her

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Assignee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of an order from the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine, concerning the sale of property by the Assignee in the matter of Timothy Hurley of Bangor in Bankruptcy, the following described Real Estate will be sold by Public Auction, at my office, No. 10 West Market Square, Bangor, Me, on THURSDAY, the 28th day of December, A D 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to wit

Said Bankrupt's homestead on Second street in Bangor, consisting of a two-story wooden house with ell and stable, and lot eighty by one hundred feet, subject to a mortgage of two thousand dollars

Also a double tenement, two story, wooden house with lot sixty by seventy feet more or less, situated on St. Michael's Court in Bangor, belonging to said estate, and subject to two mortgages One to secure the payment of three hundred dollars and interest from October, 1876, and the other to secure the payment of one thousand dollars and interest from December, 1875.

RUEL SMITH, Assignee

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To the Judge of Probate of the County of Penobscot.

The undersigned, Administrator of the estate of William S Kimball, late of Bangor, in said county, deceased, represents that he has completed the final account of administration and that there remains in his hands the sum of $9,475.54, to be distributed among the legal heirs of the deceased, that said Kimball left no child, grand child, father, mother, grandfather, brother or sister, that his uncles and aunts living at his decease, were John and Johnna Sylvester, Betsey S Sewall, Caroline S Reynolds and Sarah Brown, who are his only next of kin in equal degree, so far as he is able to ascertain, and that the share of each of said heirs will be one-fifth of said sum in his hands, subject to the expense of distribution

Wherefore, the undersigned prays that you will pass your order, determining who are heirs, and the share of each, and for the distribution of said Kimball among them

GEO A THATCHER

Bangor, Dec. 26, 1876.

STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Court of Probate, December Term, A.D. 1876.

Upon the foregoing petition, ORDERED, That said petitioner give public notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of the petition, and this order thereon, to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Weekly Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said county, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said county, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted

JOHN E. GODFREY, Judge.

A true copy—Attest
AMBROSE C. FLINT, Register.
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Notice of Assignee of His Appointment.

In the District Court of the United States, for the District of Maine. In the matter of Edwin S Farrar, Bankrupt, in Bankruptcy.

DISTRICT OF MAINE, ss. At Bangor, the 18th day of December, A. D. 1876. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Edwin S. Farrar, of Brewer, in the County of Penobscot, and State of Maine, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, filed December eleventh 1876 that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the Bankrupt Court Room, Bangor, before Chas Hamlin, Esq, Register, on the 4th day of January, A D 1877, at 11 o'clock A M

GEO F SNOW, Deputy U S Marshal as Messenger

HIRAM J PIDDLE, Esq, Solicitor.
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State of Maine.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Court of Probate, November Term A. D. 1876.

Sarah C. Crockett, named Executrix in a certain instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Levi S Crockett late of Bangor, in said County, deceased, having presented the same for Probate,

ORDERED, That said Executrix give public notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this Order to be published once a week three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in December 1876, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be proved, approved and allowed, as the Last Will and Testament of said deceased.

JOHN E. GODFREY, Judge.

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In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine In the matter of George D. Stockwell Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

This is to give notice That on the 1st day of November, A. D. 1876, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Geo. D Stockwell, of Eddington, in the County of Penobscot and State of Maine, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, filed October 23d, 1876, that the payments of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a court of bankruptcy, to be holden at Bankrupt Court Room in Bangor, before Chas. Hamlin, Esq, Register, on the 1st day of December, A. D 1876, at 10 o'clock A. M

GEORGE F. SNOW, Deputy U. S Marshal, as Messenger.

WM H MCCLELLIE, ESQ., Solicitor,
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Notice to Creditors in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF MAINE In the matter of Hugh Ross of Bangor, in said District, Bankrupt. (In Bankruptcy.)

At Portland, in said District, on the 18th day of December, A. D. 1876.

DISTRICT OF MAINE, ss. Said alleged bankrupt has proposed a compromise of his debts, and to make his creditors and his creditors, of said alleged bankrupt, are hereby notified, and will be held at the office of Charles Hamlin, Esq., Portland, Maine, in said District, on the 4th day of January, 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M., to see if the creditors of said bankrupt will accept the proposal of said bankrupt, and to transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

WM. F. PHELPS,
Clerk of U. S. District Court for the District of Maine.
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